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SUBJ: FILMS - PNG HISTORY

REF: A. STATE 109997; B. MICHAUD LETTER APRIL 22

1. PNG REQUEST WAS FOR "FULLEST POSSIBLE FILM RECORD OF
PAPUA NEW GUINEA'S HISTORY".

2. WE CONCUR WITH VIEW EXPRESSED REF A THAT COMBAT FOOTAGE
U.S./AUSTRALIAN FORCES WHICH DOES NOT HAVE PNG CONTENT IS
NOT RELEVANT. BELIEVE 60 MINUTES OF USABLE FILM ALREADY
SELECTED WOULD MEET OUR NEEDS NICELY. PRINT SHOULD BE 16 MM.

3. REF REF B NATIONAL ARCHIVE FILM OF 1910-1929 PERIOD
HIGHLY DESIRABLE. WE ALSO DESIRE FILM OF LANDING OF AMERICAN
FORCES ON TROBRIAND ISLAND GROUP, 1944. LASTLY, WE WONDER
IF FIVE REEL FILM OF U.S. CONSTRUCTION AIRFIELD IN PAPUA
NEW GUINEA COULD BE EDITED TO REMOVE MORE OBJECTIONABLE
SECTIONS SO THAT SUBSTANCE COULD BE PRESENTED TO PNG.

4. WE RECOGNIZE PROJECT IS TIME CONSUMING AND GIVEN PRESS
OF BUSINESS HAS LOW PRIORITY. APPRECIATE YOUR EFFORTS
TO HELP ASSEMBLE THE THREADS U.S. HOLD OF PNG RECENT PAST,
WHICH OF GREAT PSYCHIC IMPORTANCE TO PNG.
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